The MARYLAND GAZETTE

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IN the Conclusion of the Remonstrances that were lately presented to the French King by the Parliament of Normandy, against his Edicts for levying of new Taxes, the Parliament thus addresses his Majesty: "If your Majesty be desirous to give your People a Proof of your royal and paternal Affection, you may, although any Difficulty, abolish at once both their Oppressions and your own Glory. You will accomplish, Sir, this Object so truly worthy of the Goodness of your Heart, by reducing all the Impositions to one only; that is to say, by demanding of the Provinces their proportional Contribution to the Wants of the State, and by authorizing them to levy it themselves, as shall be most for their common Interest, and to carry it directly to your Majesty. Your Treasury will then receive without Reduction; the People will pay without Compulsion; and the Nation will be rescued from the Tyranny of greedy and insatiable Men, who live only for the Misfortune of others; the Throne will be secure from being surprised into wrong Steps, as it continually is at present; and an evident Advantage will accrue by it to all Parts of the Government. A Multitude of Men who subsist at present by Rapine will become useful and peaceable, and the State will acquire in them a number of new Citizens. You, Sir, will have the Satisfaction of reforming in one Day a great Kingdom, which being your Country, as it is that of all your Subjects, has the same Claim to your Affection as it has to theirs, and imposes on your Majesty an Obligation of Conscience which no Consideration whatever can remove.

"All Men, without Distinction of Rank, are Children of one God, the common Parent of Nature. You, Sir, in the immediate Family of which you are the Head, are the eldest of his Sons: It is to procure the Happiness of those who are placed under your Care that you are invested with the supreme Authority. Your Subjects have a Right to your Beneficence. They have therefore a Right to the safest and least burthensome Method of contributing to the Wants of the State. This Right, which is founded in Nature, belongs to every Nation in this World, whatever may be its Form of Government. It is principally the Right of the French, enabling a more especial Manner the Peers of your Provinces of Normandy. The Norman Peers furnished, on this Head, the most respectable Monuments of our national Immunities, and the Judges of the Kings your august Predecessors. We there had a Right that no Tax can be laid on your Subjects of this Province, unless it be agreed to in the Assembly of the People of the Three Estates. This Charter exhibits in its full Force, it makes part of your Peoples Rights, which you ought to maintain before him by whom they were given. If Credit were to be given to the late News from France, by the Way of Holland, which were received by Wednesday's Dutch Mail, the French Ministry having snatched the Quick by Surprize and Suddenness, and the Truths contained in the Remonstrances of the Norman Parliament, the King has forbid the Members to assemble, as to the Cause of Rouen; and has ordered some of his Troops to surround that City. Their Advices add, that the Duke de Harcourt was ingratiously received by the King's Command, that the Members of this Parliament who shall refuse to register the King's Edicts and Declarations should pay for their Disobedience with their Heads. The Parliament, in return for the Compliment, ordered this Commandant of the Troops to be taken into Custody. Harcourt did not like the Consequence of this Order, but made the best of his Way to Paris.

The Publication of a Letter from Holland says that there was such a Fermont throughout all Normandy, on Account of the new Money Edicts, that it was to be feared, if some other Provinces should take Part in their Grievances, that Confusion would be much more dangerous than the Quarrel of Rouen and Paris, which is somewhat of the Nature of our Court of Exchequer. In their Remonstrances against those Edicts, inform the King, "That they think it unnecessary to add any "Thing to the just and most affecting Picture "which has so often been held up to him of the "Misery to which the People in the Provinces "are reduced; but that if any should presume to "insinuate to his Majesty that the Picture is not "just, and the Representation of his Magistrates "greatly exaggerated, his Courts would in that "Case think it their Duty to beseech him to be "graciously pleased to hear the People themselves, "by convoking the States General of the King-"dom."

*From the* CRAFTSMAN; *Or* SAY'S *Weekly Journal, of the First of* October.

SIR,

I DESIRE you to communicate to the Public the following Letters, which you may be assured are genuine. I think you should premise, that Captain Forbes, by Mr. Murray's own Confession, was concealed for some Time at his House, which was the Occasion that Mr. Murray too was put under Arrest, by order of the Marshals of France, and was brought before Marshal Noailles, the senior Marshal, at the same Time with Mr. Wilkes. Diligent Search was made for Captain Forbes, but he had absconded.

Mr. Wilkes was obliged, before Marshal Noailles, to sign a *Parole d'Honneur*, that he would not proceed to any *Voie de Fait, directe ou indirecte*, with Captain Forbes, and Mr. Murray engaged in the same Manner for Captain Forbes, in Consequence of which, the Guards of Mr. Wilkes and Mr. Murray were discharged.

Mr. Forbes has never since appeared at Paris. After the first Letter enclosed, which was sent Sept. 7, Mr. Wilkes went several Times to Mr. Murray's House, sometimes with Monsieur Goy, sometimes alone, but could never be admitted. Mr. Murray only once called at the *Hotel de Saxe*, while Mr. Wilkes was absent on a two Days Tour to Fontainebleau. Mr. Wilkes left Paris the 18th of September. The Day before, he called at Mr. Murray's House, and not being admitted, left Word that he should set off for Flanders the next Morning.

Mr. Wilkes arrived at Meaux the 21st in the Morning, and went directly to the Post-House. He found no Letter there, either from Captain Forbes or Mr. Murray. He continued at Meaux all that Day, and the next went again to the Post-Master, but with no better Success. He then left a Direction where he was gone, and set off for Dunkirk.

I think, Sir, that you ought to do Mr. Forbes the Justice to declare, that it is certain, in the whole of this Affair, although he was guilty of much Rashness, yet he was not of any Rudeness, or even Incivility of Expression.

*To the Hon. Alexander Murray, Esq.*

SIR,

I HAVE waited with no small Impatience, and I believe you will agree with me, that before this, Captain Forbes ought to have sent to me. You know every Thing which has passed between us, and the wild extravagant Wish he formed of fighting me, not as Friends or Provocation.

I have no Pride, Sir; yet I told him that I would indulge him, and as soon as I could. I mentioned to him the Affair of Lord Egremont, and the gracious Engagement I thought myself under. I desired him to bring his Second the same Day at Noon, and our two Friends should settle between us all the Particulars of Time, Place, &c.

I found the Circumstances of the Interview and Intermediary of Lord Egremont, and any Resolution of calling his Lordship to Account: A Resolution not formed Yesterday, but what had struck me the second Day of my Imprisonment in the Tower, as becoming my Dignity, and which, at that very Time, I had mentioned to Major Rainsford, the Governor.

I had likewise then fixed the Hour of his losing the Scale as the Period I should call his Lordship to that Account; and I am sure that I would have left Paris, or any other Place, immediately on receiving News so interesting to myself, so welcome to the Nation.

Mr. Forbes undertook on the same Morning, Tuesday, the 16th of August, to return at Noon, and to bring his Second. You know that he came, but brought no Second. Monsieur Goy, my Second, attended. If Mr. Forbes had kept his Promise, the Trouble I am now obliged to give you would have been unnecessary.

Lord Egremont, to my great Regret (greater I believe than that of any other Person) has prevented my proceeding further, and, as a Frenchman would say, *Il m'a glissé un mauvais tour.*

I am now therefore most entirely at Capt. Forbes's Service, and shall wait his Commands. I do not know where he is, for he has not appeared at Paris since Tuesday the 16th of August. As your House has been his Asylum, I am necessitated to beg you, Sir, to acquaint Captain Forbes, that I will be at Meaux, the first Town in Austrian Flanders, on the Confines of France, the 21st of this Month, and that Monsieur Goy will do me the Honour of accompanying me; but he only. I shall direct my Letters to be sent there, and the Moment of my Arrival I shall go to the Post-House.

No Person, but Monsieur Goy, is acquainted with any Part of this Transaction; he is so obliging as to take the Charge of this Letter.

Give me Leave to acknowledge the personal Civilities you have been pleased to confer on me at Paris, and to assure you that

*Paris,* I am, SIR,
*Hotel de Saxe,* Your very humble Servant,
*Sept.* 7. JOHN WILKES.

This is the genuine Copy of the Letter which was written this Day, Sept. 7, to the Hon. Alexander Murray, Esq; by John Wilkes, Esq; and delivered by myself into the Hands of the Servant of the above-said Alexander Murray, Esq;

*Paris, Sept.* 7, 1763. P. GOY.

Monsieur Goy wrote the following Letter to Mr. Murray, to which he returned no Answer; and on the Saturday would not be at home.

SIR,

I DID myself several Times the Honour to wait upon you, but have not been so happy as to find you at home. I intend to set off on Sunday Morning for Flanders, and should be very proud to take my Leave of you, therefore hope you will give Orders for my being admitted To-morrow, any Time the most agreeable to you.

I am, with Respect, Sir, &c.

*Rue St. Anne, butte St. Roch,* P. GOY,
*au 6e. à la Cannaffiere.*

*From the* LONDON GAZETTE.

DRESDEN, *October* 5.

HIS Polish Majesty died suddenly this Afternoon of a Suffocation, at Half an Hour past Five. He had for some Days past been indisposed with a feverish Cold, which was thought of no Sort of Consequence.

LONDON, *October* 15.

The King of Portugal, in Imitation of the English, is putting several Ships of War into Commission, and Orders have been given to establish a certain Office for registering 20,000 Seamen, in Case of an Emergency.

It is said that the Occasion of the early meeting of the Parliament, which is fixed for the 15th of November, is the settling the several Reversal Laws, which are to respect the new Acquisitions in North America.

We hear the Officers and Soldiers will have proper Implements and Utensils allowed them to cultivate the Lands allotted them in the conquered Provinces in North America, though no express Mention thereof is made in the late Proclamation, agreeable to what was observed in the first establishing Nova-Scotia.

A Letter from Chester, to a Gentleman at Manchester, Oct. 8, says, "This Day is sailed the Lively, a large Dublin Trader, hence from this Port,

Port, with near 200 Persons on board, many of them People of Fashion. Her Cargo was computed at 40,000 l. The Night was so tempestuous, that she was in the Morning in the greatest Distress, and at Nine the Vessel bilged about seven Miles from Holyhead, upon a Chain of Rocks, and broke all to Shivers, and every Mortal perished. Mr. Hart, of the Yacht, told me, that 23 of the most genteel Guests went from his House as Passengers. Mr. Smith, of the White Lion, told me, that she was a very crouded Ship, and that there was a great deal of Money on board; for that he, Smith, had three several Times sent Capt. Williams Conveniencies for carrying large Quantities of Cash down to Park-Gate. There was likewise much extraordinary rich Furniture.

It is said the Salletines have taken 14 French Merchant Ships going to America.

The Dutch, who owed their very Existence as a Free People to England, despised the Power of James I. and committed the Massacre of the English at Amboyna, where they put the Factory to Death, and seized their Effects; for which insolent Affront, no Reparation was obtained from 1623 to 1654, when Cromwell made the Dutch pay 300,000 l. on that Account.

An old Affair, relating to Surinam, is now revived by our Court against the Dutch, as a Matter of State; on which Account they must either pay the Demand upon them, or suffer Letters of Reprisal to issue against them.

The 15th Inst. a large Ship, drawing 17 Feet Water, was brought into Orford Road by some Fishermen belonging to that Place, who found her at Sea without any People on board; she had no Masts standing but her Mizen, was leaky, laden with Wine and Salt, and it is thought belongs to the Danes or Swedes, though British built.

As the French were put into the Re-possession of Cape Breton after the Peace of Aix la Chapelle, it was natural for the British Ministry, in 1749, to fix their Attention on the Cultivation and Improvement of their long neglected Settlement of Nova-Scotia; whereby the Profits of the French Fishery would fall to the English, a potent Barrier be erected for the Security of the British Provinces in North-America, and a perpetual Seminary for Sailors established.

The Earl of Halifax was the principal Promoter of a Scheme so highly advantageous to the Interest of the British Nation; and it is principally owing to the same worthy Nobleman, that such great Encouragement is now given to make the first Essay of the Improvement of the Arts of Peace, by cultivating those Regions we have conquered.

The Spaniards are increasing their Navy at a prodigious Rate, and so are the French; even the pacific Dutch are augmenting their Marine, on a Pretence of joining the French against the piratical States of Barbary: but it is evident that their Intent is to strengthen the Family Compact.

We are assured, that the Demolition of Dunkirk being not totally effected, has occasioned many smart Remonstrances to be made by our Ministry to the French Court. There are also some fresh Differences arisen between Spain and Portugal, in regard to some Captures made in the late War.

The Number of Packet Boats, which were intended to be established, are now laid aside, as the several Ports are now open, being upon a peaceable Foundation.

They write from Portsmouth, that the current Rumour there, is, that a considerable naval Force will, towards the latter End of this Month, depart for America; 12 Frigates now in that Harbour are manned for the Service, which we hear are to be joined by six more lately put into Commission at Chatham. It is said Part of this Fleet are to occupy the Banks of Newfoundland; and the rest to form a Chain, in Conjunction with the Ships already on that Station, as far to the Southward as the Gulph of Florida: In order to lessen the Expence such a Number of Guarda Costas may occasion, it is said all the Victualling Part will fall to the Share of the American Colonies.

It is thought that the King of Poland's Death will make some material Alteration in the Affairs of the North. He had reigned 30 Years.

It is still confidently asserted, that Mr. PITT will be appointed to a considerable Post in the Ministry, before the meeting of the Parliament, and that Lord Bute will be created an English Peer.

By a Gentleman who arrived on Monday last from Berlin we are informed, that the King of Prussia was going to lay Claim to Royal or Polish Prussia, alledging, that as his Grandfather, Frederick I. was crowned the first King of Prussia in 1700, and was then sensible of the half the Prussian Dominions, &c. as his Ancestors, claimed the Whole, according to his Title, as also the Revenue it produced from 1700 to this Time.

N. E. W. Y. O. R. K. *December 18.*

*Last Friday arrived to Town, Major Moncrieffe, and Captain Montague, by whom we have the following authentic Intelligence.*

That on the 22d of October last, Wappocomoqoth, Chief of the Mississique Indians, came under a Flag of Truce, to Major Gladwin at Detroit, to let him know, that none of his Band had hitherto committed the least Hostilities, and that he was using all his Influence to restore the Nations to Arms, to their Senses; that he had prevailed on most of them, to listen to his Arguments, and that three him (their Mediator) the Chippewas, Ottawas, Wiondots, and Pottawatamies, sensible of their villainous Behaviour, begged Forgiveness of what was past, and desired to be admitted to Council, to make their Submission.

That Major Gladwin, not having at this time above Fourteen Days Provision in Store, listened to their Overtures, tho' he looked upon it as an Artifice, to lull him for the Winter, and that it was their present Necessity, in the Article of Ammunition, a Desire to go on their hunting Grounds for their Wives Subsistence, with the Fear of Major Wilkins's Detachment reaching Detroit, that induced them to those Measures. In Council, he told them if they convinced him of their Sincerity all might be well again; Hostilities then ceased, and many of them went to their Hunting Grounds; Major Gladwin took that Opportunity to get Provisions in from the Inhabitants, and Wood for the Winter.

On the 30th of October a Courier arrived at Detroit, with a Letter from the French Officer commanding at Fort Chartres, on the Mississippi, to all the Indians, advising them to be at Peace with their Brothers the English, as they were now one People; at the same Time, it contained an Injunction to them, to remove with their Families, to the Western Bank of the Mississippi, where they should have fine Hunting Grounds, with an easy and flourishing Commerce.

A large Party of Indians went from Detroit early this Fall, with great Quantities of Beaver, to purchase Ammunition at New Orleans, and it is thought their future Temper, in great Measure depends, on the Talk they may have with the Governor; and the Means they may fall upon to procure Supplies. Major Gladwin continues upon his Guard, and expects the Renewal of Hostilities in the Spring.

*(So far Detroit Intelligence.)*

The Detachment under the Command of Major Wilkins, in their Passage over Lake Erie, met with great Difficulties by contrary Winds, and bad Weather: On the 7th of November, about 10 o'Clock at Night, they were suddenly surprised with a violent Gale of Wind, within Thirty Leagues of Detroit, at a place called Point-du Pin; in which they lost three Officers, viz. Lieut. Davidson, of the Artillery, Lieut. Painter, of the Platoons, and Mr. Williams, Sargeon to the 80th Regiment; four Serjeants, sixty three Privats, and a Canadian Pilot: All their Ammunition, and great Part of their Provisions lost, and destroyed. In these Circumstances Major Wilkins ordered a Council, to consider the present Situation of the Detachment, who were of Opinion, it was better for the Service to return to Niagara, than proceed to Detroit, without Ammunition, and with very little Provisions: That Major of Brigade Monsmollin, who was carrying Orders, from the Commander in Chief, to Major Gladwin, under the Escort of this Detachment, being acquainted by Major Wilkins of the Resolution he had taken, wrote a Letter to Major Gladwin, to acquaint him of it, that he might take his Measures accordingly. This Letter he sent off the 12th of November, by two Hurons, of the Village near Quebec; which they delivered (with great Fidelity the 28th, and in Consequence Major Gladwin reduced his Garrison to Two Hundred and Twelve Men, having Provision sufficient for that Number, and sent away the Detachment of the 55th Regiment, Hopkinds's Independant Company, and Rogers's Volunteers: Captain Montresor left Detroit the 20th November with these Corps; and then they had Intelligence that a large Body of Indians intended to Waylay them, they arrived safe at Niagara the 27th.

We have this further Intelligence by way of Boston, That Major Wilkinson's Effects of Pennsylvania, &c. were 600 Men, chiefly Regulars. And that the Garrison at Detroit consisted of 400 Men on the 7th October, all in good Health.

PHILADELPHIA, *December 22.*

Extract of a Letter from Fort Pitt, December 3, 1763.

"I have agreeable News to communicate to you from my Wilderness.—The Ouyatanon Indians have sued for Peace and Forgiveness in the most submissive Manner. Major Gladwin has referred them to the General, and, in the mean Time, granted them a Cessation of Hostilities.—They have lost much to the Southward, having left 90 of their best Warriors before Detroit, and a good many here, with Intermixture of both Places; they have never appeared before us this Way since our Affairs, and they seem to want their Squaws altogether upon the poor defenceless Inhabitants.

"On the 2d of October Lieutenant Brehm, with three other Officers, and 60 Men, embarked in four Rees Gallies, to reconnoitre the Camp of the Savages. They found upon his coming to the Shore, two advancing to the Strongbow, he found them disposed to receive him with 200 Men in 18 Canoes or Pettiaugers, and 180 Battoes; they came close round the Rees Gallies to board them, supported by a continual Fire of 150 Savages from both Shores.—The Battoes, with about 30 Men, came up as near as they could sail under Lieutenant Brehm's Stern, who was a little separated from the Rest by his Sail crowding and firing with Small-arms upon the Battoes. They advanced with great Resolution, all standing upright, until they got within 30 Yards of Lieutenant Brehm, who then were round, and poured his Grape Shot into her, which killed or frightened the whole Crew, only one remaining in the Battoes, which he paddled ashore. He might easily have been taken, but the Canoes still coming nearer, Lieutenant Brehm thought it was better to keep upon them, which he did for upwards of three Hours, in Half an Hour they were all obliged to give off, and put ashore. The Officers Gallies continued to row about exploring them, till the Men being tired with rowing against the Stream, they were beat to the Fort, having only one Man killed, and four wounded. The Loss of the Enemy was not known, but they have been greatly, in about three Hours firing."

[illegible] GENERAL ASSEMBLY [illegible] Colony of *Virginia* are to meet at *Williamsburg*.

THE *MARYLAND* ALMANACK, for the Year 1764, is Sold at the PRINTING OFFICE. [*Price single 8 Coppers.*]

Also Interleav'd Almanacks. [*Price 1s.*]

THOSE Gentlemen and Ladies who have obliged me by Subscribing to the CIRCULATING LIBRARY, will do me a further Favour by signifying, before the 25th of this Month, whether they decline or continue their Subscription, as the Year will then expire to the Majority of them; and unless I am certain of the Number of those who will contribute to support the Scheme, I intend to dispose of the whole Collection by Auction; for, I am sorry to say, under the Necessity of observing it, notwithstanding the general Utility of the Undertaking, and the improving Entertainment it must communicate to the Mind, yet the Encouragement it has hitherto received, is too inconsiderable to enable me to carry it on without injuring my Circumstances; the Expence I must unavoidably be at in furnishing the Library with new Books; which I cannot possibly do, unless the Number of Subscribers exceed what they did last Year. In which Case, they should not be in my Power to render the Plan as extensive as I at first proposed, by importing a Cargo every Year, yet those who oblige me with their Approbation, may depend on being served at every Opportunity with all such new Pieces as may merit the Attention of the Judicious.

WILLIAM [illegible]

To be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, [illegible] Sterling Cash; or good Bills of Exchange at the Subscriber's Store, at the upper End of Church-street, in ANNAPOLIS; for the Benefit of the Inforers, or subscriberor concerned.

SUNDRY Damaged GOODS, Imported in the *Providence*, William Robinson, Master, consisting of OSNABRIGS, HESSENS, ROLLS, and Irish LINENS. The Sale to begin precisely at Eleven o'Clock, on Friday the 25th Inst.

*January 3*, 1764. ANTHONY STEWART.

JOHN SPROGELL

HAS lately opened Shop in *Prince-George-Street*, next Door to the Corner of Mr. [illegible] adjoining to Messrs. *Rind* and *Dunlap*'s Printing and Book Store, where he MAKES and REPAIRS all Kinds of CLOCKS and WATCHES in the neatest and newest Manner. Those Gentlemen that please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on the utmost Dispatch in his Power.

Said *Sprogell* has worked with general Reputation for several *Maryland* Gentlemen, and takes this public Method to inform them, that by leaving their Watches to the *Post-Office* at *Annapolis*, they may meet with a very ready Conveyance by the Post-Rider to *Philadelphia*, and may depend on their being returned with Punctuality and Dispatch.

WHEREAS *Luke Raiford* is become [illegible] to the Subscriber; he therefore gives [illegible] Public Notice to forewarn all Persons from [illegible] ing him.

THOMAS [illegible]

WHEREAS Mr. *Thomas Dick* of *Baltimore-Town*, became to the *West Indies*, and left [illegible] empowered one the Subscriber to transact his [illegible] during his Absence: This is therefore to [illegible] that all Persons indebted to him by Bond, [illegible] come and discharge the same; and all who [illegible] to him are desired to make Payment [illegible] pay off their Balances, or settle the same, by giving Notes or Bonds as aforesaid, before the Twentieth Day of *February* next. Those who fail will be sued without any further Notice. Attendance will be given every Friday and Saturday at the House where Mr. *Thomas Dick* kept Store, by Mr. *Upton Sheridine*, who is authorized by the Subscriber to adjust and settle all Accounts, and to grant Receipts for all Payments made to him.

JAMES DICK, Attorney
in Fact for *Thomas Dick*.

*To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE, on Saturday the 18th of February next, at* BALTIMORE-TOWN, *on the Premises*,

A LARGE BRICK HOUSE, where Mr. *Thomas Dick* lived, 45 Feet by 24. Two Stories high, with a Brick Porch, having a good Cellar the whole Length and Width of the Building, a Parlour, large Store Room and Washhouse, on the first Floor; Two Lodging Rooms, and a large Warehouse, on the second Floor, and a large Garret, all well finished. There are also several convenient Out-houses, a very good Brick Kitchen, with Two Rooms below, and Two above; a good Frog Stable, Meat House, Hen House, and other convenient Improvements. The Lot is subject to a Ground Rent of Six Pounds Sterling *per Annum*; but there are several Improvements on the other parts of the Lot subject to pay Five Pounds Sterling of the Ground Rent.

Likewise, A large LOT over the Bridge, on which is a Wooden House 54 Feet by 16, Three Rooms on the lower Floor, and a Kitchen at one End, with a paled Garden, Yard, &c.

Also, Six Acres of GROUND contiguous to *Baltimore-Town*, all well fenced in, and clear'd for Meadow, with a convenient Stream of Water running through it.

Any Persons inclining to purchase, may be fully informed of the Title and Terms of Sale, by applying to Mr. *Upton Sheridine* on the Premises, or the Subscriber.

JAMES DICK.

THE Subscriber continues to carry on the GOLD and SILVER-SMITH's BUSINESS as formerly, at the *Golden-Ball*, in the City of *Annapolis*, where all his good Customers may be supplied in the neatest Manner, and on the [illegible] Terms. He also gives the best Prices for old Gold and Silver.

He requests all his former good Customers, immediately to settle their Accounts with him, and if they can't pay their Balances, to give their Notes or Bonds for the same, which will very much oblige, *Their very humble Servant*,

JAMES CHALMERS.

LEFT at the Subscriber's House in *Annapolis*, A Pair of SILVER SPURS, mark'd on the Heads and Shanks with the Letters S S.

The Owner may have them again, on proving his Property, and paying the Charge of advertising.

H. GASSAWAY.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near *Soldier's Delight*, in *Baltimore* County, on the 9th of *June* last, a Servant Man, named *David Sanders*, an *Englishman*, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, about 30 Years old, thin Visage, dark Complexion, dark brown Hair, has a Speck in the Apple of his Right Eye of a pallish Hue, stoops a little in his Walk, is fond of Liquor, much given to chewing Tobacco, and is a notorious Rogue. He is well known in *Baltimore* and *Anne-Arundel* Counties, having served Mr. *Henry Darby* on *Elk-Ridge* 7 Years. He is fond of Plowing or driving Team.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to the Subscriber, shall have the above Reward, paid by

ALEXANDER WELLS.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Francis Cockey*, in *Baltimore* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Bay Mare, with a small Scar in her Forehead, and a Spring Tail; she has no perceivable Brand or Ear Mark, but appears to have been used to Spancels.

The Owner may have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near the Subscriber's House near *Annapolis*, a Convict Servant Woman, named *Mary Osborne*, about 25 Years of Age, and about 4 Feet high, has Hair and Eyes pretty much like, and she is of a brown Complexion. Her Apparel when she went away, was a Chequered Stuff Gown, a striped Cotton Cloth Petticoat, an old patch'd quilted Dito, Oznabrigs Shift, blue and white ring'd Stockings, flat heel'd Shoes, Linen Handkerchief, Brown Roll Apron, no Cap on, but her Hair tied behind.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings her home, shall receive Forty Shillings Reward, beside what the Law allows, paid by

X *I* JOHN LANSDALE.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Thomas Sparrow*, on *My Lords Manor*, in *Anne Arundel* County, taken up as a Stray, a Sorrel Horse with a Blaze in his Face, branded I, one hind Foot white, and is 7 Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges. *I* 27 *S*

*On Saturday the 7th of* January 1764, *at Two o'Clock Afternoon, will be Sold by Public Vendue, at Mr. Mackubin's, near the Inspecting House, in* Annapolis;

SOME Fine *Jamaica* SUGARS in Hogsheads and Tierces: Also a few Hogsheads of MOLASSES.

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ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of the late *Kesley Johns*, Esq; are desired to pay their Balances to *Robert Norris*, who will attend every Wednesday and Saturday at *Elk-Point* for that Purpose. And all Persons having any Claims, or open Accounts with the aforesaid Estate, are desired to bring them in to the said *Robert Norris*, to be adjusted and paid; who is appointed and authorized by the Subscriber, who has Administered on the said *Kesley Johns*'s Estate.

2 SUSANNA JOHNS.

*December* 29, 1763.

AS I intend to make only a short Stay in the Province, I give this early and public Notice, That I will attend at our Store on *Elk-Ridge* Landing, on and from the 16th to the 21st of *January* next, for the Conveniency of those who live in *Anne-Arundel* County, and at *Joppa* from the 24th to the 26th of the same Month, for those who live in *Baltimore* County; to adjust and settle the Accounts due to the House of STEWART and CAMPBELL, with those who have been in our Debt some Time, without either shipping Tobacco, or paying off their Balances; and if this Notice is neglected, Suits will immediately be commenced against them by

2 DUNCAN CAMPBELL.

Prince-George's County, Dec. 21, 1763.

*To be SOLD on the Premises, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Tuesday the 14th of* February *next, for good* London *Bills of Exchange*,

A VALUABLE Tract of LAND, called *Boall's Reserve*, and commonly known by the Name of *Mary's Quarter*, containing Three Hundred Acres, lying on *Collington* Branch in the County aforesaid, within Two Miles of *Queen-Anne*, and Seven of *Upper-Marlborough*; on which there is a Negro Quarter, a very good Tobacco-House almost new, and Two Apple Orchards. The Title indisputable. The Land exceeding rich, and plenty of Wood Land to support it.

Also, A Parcel of Country-born SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women, and Children; Three of which are valuable young Fellows, that have been brought up to Casting and Plowing, and understand Plantation Business of all Sorts.

The Sale to begin at XI o'Clock.

ZACHARIAH LYLES,
*Attorney* in Fact *for Thomas* and *Charles Moore*, of *Philadelphia*.

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*Talbot* County, *December* 20, 1763.

THOSE who are still indebted to the Estate of *William Goldsborough*, Esq; late of *Talbot* County, Deceased, by Bill or Bond, and have not yet renewed their Obligations to the Executrix, are required to Discharge or Renew the same before the Tenth Day of *February* next; after which Time Suits will be commenced against such as neglect to comply with this Requisition. And those who owe more than one Year's Interest, are required speedily to pay the same.

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GREENBERRY DORSEY AND COMPANY,
At the Golden Key in Philadelphia,

HAVE just received, in the *Britannia*, Capt. *Tilton*, and the *Honest Jacobite*, Capt. *Falconer*, with a large and neat Assortment of Shop Furniture of all Kinds, Surgeons Instruments, Medicines, Chests for Families, with full Directions, of all Prices, and for Masters of Vessels who go to sea, a Doctor's Dispensatory of all Kinds.

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| Antimony, | Cupping Glasses, |
| Salt Petre, | Muscle Shells, |
| Quick Silver, | Canes and Lasts Sticks, with Tops & Bottoms, |
| Juniper Berries, | White & coloured Skins, |
| Borax, | Lint, |
| Crucibles, | Ointment & Syrup Pots, |
| White Wax, | Pill Pots and Glasses, |
| *English* Saffron, | Double Flint Bottles, |
| Gold, Silver, and *Dutch* Leaf, | with ground Stoppers, from one Gallon to one eighth of a Gill, |
| Shavings of Hartshorn, | Spice Double Flint Bottles, with Bottle Cases, from one Gallon to half a Gill, |
| Ifinglass, | Green Gallon Bottles, with ground Stoppers, |
| Salop, | Jug, Bottle and Phial Corks, |
| Sago, | White and green Phials, |
| Red Sanders, | Gallipots, |
| Oil of Lavender, | Pill Boxes, |
| Essence of Lemons, | Brown Stone Bottles and Butter Pots, all Sizes, |
| Essence of Bergamot, | Clyster and small Syringes, |
| Pure Oil Rhodium, | Ivory Syringes, |
| Best perfum'd Pomatum, | Brown Paper of all Sizes, |
| Finest Lip Salve, | Neat engraved Labels, |
| Palm Oil, | White Lead, |
| Annis, Caraway, and Coriander Seeds, | *Spanish* Brown, |
| Court Plaister, | Yellow Oker, |
| Capillait, | *Prussian* Blue, |
| Spa, Pyrmont, and fine Damask Rose Waters, | Vermillion, |
| Orange Flower Water, | Carmine, |
| Surgeons Capital Instruments, | Allom, |
| Pocket Instruments, | Copperas, |
| Cases of crooked Needles, | Brimstone, |
| Best Crown Lancets in Shagreen Cases, | Ground Redwood, |
| Best common Lancets, | Spices, |
| Neat Spring Lancets, with or without Cases, | Ether for the Head-ach, |
| Teeth Instruments of the newest Fashion, with three Claws to each, | *Anderson's*, *Hooper's* and *Lockyer's* Pills, |
| *Smellie's* Midwifery, | *Bateman's* Drops, |
| Forceps, | *British* Oil, |
| Steel Trusses, | *Bolduc's* Cordial, |
| Scarificators in Cases of 16 Lancets each, | *Daffy's* Elixir, |
| Gum Lancets, | *Bas de Lucq*, |
| Catheters, | *Godfrey's* Cordial, |
| Silver Probes, | *Hungary*, Lavender and Honey Waters, |
| Probe Scissars, | *James's* Fever Powders, |
| Bolus Knives, | *Jesuit's* Drops, |
| Boxes, Scales and Weights, | *Stoughton's* Elixir, |
| Brass Weights, | *Squire's* Elixir, |
| Drachm, Scruple and Grain Weights, | Genuine *Turlington's* Balsam, |
| Brass, Marble and Glass Mortars and Pestles, | Golden and plain Spirits of Scurvy Grass, |
| Glass Funnels, | *Bateman's* Drops, |
| Separating Funnels, | Balsam of Health. |

The above are imported in large Quantities; and as said *Vessey* makes it his Business to import every Drug at the first Hand, it enables him to deal on the very best of Terms; as he intends to sell by a small Profit, he hopes it will be an Encouragement to the Doctors, both in Town and Country, to make Trial; and as he proposes to import fresh Medicines by *every* Opportunity, his Business will be well attended to, and hopes to merit the Favour of the Public. He takes this Opportunity to return his sincere Thanks to his Friends, that have been so Kind as to Favour him with their Custom, and begs a Continuance of their Favours, as they may assure themselves their Orders shall be punctually attended to, and executed with Care and Dispatch.

PECTORAL BALSAM OF HONEY,

The best Remedy yet discovered for Coughs, Disorders of the Breast, Sore Throats, &c.—Elixir Bechicum, a Cure for the Gout and Rheumatism.—Tincture of Golden Rod, for the Stone and Gravel.—Balsam of Water-Dock, for the Scurvy.—Turlington's Balsam, for nervous Disorders, &c. &c. prepared by the Patentee Dr. *Rock* of *London*. Also *Keyser's* Fitch Pomatum, being a valuable Liver for that dangerous Disorder, with all kinds of other genuine Medicines. Likewise all sorts of common Oil.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Josiah Hinde*, near the Rev. Mr. *Kemp's* Chapel, in *Prince-George's* County, taken up as a Stray, a small Sorrel Mare, branded on the near Buttock not plain, and has a small Star in her Forehead.

*Maryland, Patuxent River, George-Town, Dec. 10, 1763.*

AS I am fully determined on going Home in the Spring 1765, if then alive, in order to make a Settlement with my Employers, Meſſieurs *John Glaſford* and Company, Merchants in *GLASGOW*, which I cannot accomplish without making Settlements with my Cuſtomers; I take this Method of informing them, That from this Date I have given up the Management of the Store to *Mr. Robert Ferguſon*, (who is well known to moſt of them) that I may have it in my Power to attend properly on ſettling all my former Tranſactions; and which I hope I ſhall not be difficulted to get done againſt the Spring 1765, having now all my Accounts ready for that Purpoſe, and I flatter myſelf that none concerned will delay it on their Part, for however much I am inclined to be indulgent to thoſe who really have it not in their Power to make Payment ſoon, yet I am under a Neceſſity of requiring that every Perſon who have open Accounts with me, ſhall make a Settlement of ſuch Accounts, and their doing it ſoon will prevent them from being put to Expences, as well as Trouble to me. The Store at *George-Town*, on *Patuxent* River, now under the Management of *Mr. Robert Ferguſon*, will be ſupplied with Goods, &c. as uſual, and I have not the leaſt doubt of his giving Satisfaction to all who are Kind enough to favour him with their Cuſtom, as well to my good old Cuſtomers, as to others who may incline to open a Correſpondence with him. My Intention is to return to *George-Town* as early in the Spring 1766, as I can finiſh the Buſineſs on which I am going Home. All juſt Claims againſt me, whether on Accounts of the Store, or properly on my own Accounts, muſt be ſettled before I depart the Province.

ROBERT PETER, Attorney
*for John Glaſford* and Comp.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, the 28th of *October* laſt, a Convict Servant Woman, named *Nancy Patterſon*, about 19 Years of Age, a round Face, ſmall black Eyes, light Eye brows, ſandy colour'd Hair, of a ſhort Stature, very round ſhoulder'd, talks very brisk, has a down Look, keeps a Handkerchief tied under her Jaws, and wears a Bonnet ſet round with Sticks. Had on a red and white checqu'd Holland Bed Gown, a large Woman's new Chintz Gown, with yellowiſh green Sprigs, a white Cotton Petticoat, black Serge Denim Shoes, old black Stockings, a large blue and white ſpotted Silk Handkerchief, a Cotton long bed Gown, and a red Cloak with a Cap to it. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and delivers her to the Subſcriber, living at *Chaptico* in *St. Mary's* County, ſhall receive Forty Shillings Reward, ſaid by

RICHARD COOKE.

N. B. She ſuppoſed the travels under the Name of *Jane Regan*, having ſuch a Paſs granted her by *Richard Ward, Eſq.*

*To be SOLD* by Virtue of an Act of Aſſembly, at PUBLIC VENDUE, at Mrs. Orrick's, in *Baltimore Town*, on *Thurſday the Twenty-ſecond of* MARCH *next, for Bills of Exchange or Current Money*, the following Lots and Lands, being the Eſtate of the late Col. *William Hamilton*, as follows, viz.

TWO LOTS in *Baltimore Town*, with Improvements thereon, known by the Name of Number I. and Number V. A Tract of Land near the Town, called *Cole's Addition*, containing Sixty-ſeven Acres. And one Moiety of a Tract of Land called *Cromwell's Chance*.

JOHN PAGE,
ROBERT ADAIR,
MARGARET PAGE.

*Severn-River, Nov. 14, 1763.*

THE SCHOONER lately adverſtised in this Paper by the Subſcriber, now lies in the Creek at the Back of the Printing-Office.

For Terms of Sale, &c. apply to Mr. THOMAS RUMBARGER, Merchant, in *Annapolis*, or

JOHN BENNET.

*Piſcataway, December 13, 1763.*

HAVING lately been appointed by a Number of Gentlemen, reſiding at *Elk Ridge*, and Others, to lay out Part of a TRACT of Land called *Howard's Range*, lying on *Patapſco River*, very near *Elk-Ridge* Warehouſe, in LOTS, whereon to build a Town, as the Situation and Soil is well adapted for that Purpoſe; THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE to all who are deſirous of taking up a Lot, or Lots, That I am willing and ready to comply with their Requeſts, and will lay out and Sell on the moſt reaſonable and moderate Terms, any Number of Lots, for the erecting a Town at the Place deſired, [To be called NORFOLK] and all thoſe who are inclinable to have LOTS there, may meet with me at *Elk-Ridge* Landing, on Wedneſday the 18th Day of *January* next, where and when I ſhall be ready to treat with them, on the moſt eaſy and equitable Terms, that they can with or deſire, and give a Fee-Simple for any Number of Lots for which there ſhall appear Takers-up. A Plan of the propoſ'd Town of NORFOLK, may at any Time be ſeen at Mr. *Henry Griffith's* Store at *Elk-Ridge* Landing.

JOHN HOWARD.

*Piſcataway, December 13, 1763.*

AS a Houſe of good ENTERTAINMENT is always deſired by Gentlemen Travellers, as well as Others, and as I have taken the Houſe in this Place where the Widow *Pleaſant* formerly Lived and kept Tavern, and have made a Beginning in that Way of Buſineſs; I take this Method of acquainting the Public, That all Gentlemen who may pleaſe to favour me with their Cuſtom, ſhall meet with good Entertainment for Themſelves and their Horſes, together with every Thing that may oblige, in the Power of

*Their humble Servant,*
FRANCIS KING.

TAKEN up between *Greenberry's Point* and *Rock-Hland*, a Moſes Built BOAT about 8 or 9 Feet Keel. The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges, by applying to *Jacob Brunwell* at *Oxford*.

*Elk-Ridge, December 1, 1763.*

AS the Subſcriber has declined Trade, he deſires all Perſons that have any Claims againſt him to bring them in, and they ſhall be paid: He alſo deſires all Perſons that are indebted to him, either by Mortgage, Bill of Sale, Bond, Protected Bill, Note, or open Account, to come and diſcharge the ſame, or ſettle to his Satisfaction, by the firſt Day of *February* next; all ſuch as neglect, and do not comply with his Requeſt, may depend on being ſued, and warranted, immediately after that Day, without further Notice, or Diſtinction being made of any Perſon.

WILLIAM HALL, *of Elk-Ridge.*

*A BAR-KEEPER is WANTED.*

A SINGLE MAN, that comes well Recommended, may meet with great Encouragement, on Application to HENRY GASSAWAY, in *Annapolis*.

GOOD Encouragement for a SADDLE-TREE MAKER, will be given in *Annapolis*.

CHARLES WILSON PEALE.

TWO PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away from on board a Schooner in *Choptank*, on the 13th of *October* laſt, one *Baptiſt*, a thick well ſet Fellow, about 30 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 4 Inches high: Had on when he went away a light colour'd ſtrouded Jacket, Oſnabrigs Shirt, wide Oſnabrigs Trowſers, and appears like a Sailor.

*Yeats*, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 Inches high, he hath loſt ſome of the Toes of his Right Foot and goes Lame, is in the ſame Dreſs as the above, and neither of them can ſpeak good *English*.

Whoever will ſecure them ſo that the Owner may have them again, ſhall be entitled to the above Reward, or a Piſtole for either, and reaſonable Charges paid. If brought to the Ship Yard on *Spa-Neck*, paid

PATRICK GALLOWAY.

N. B. They appear like Sailors. All Maſters of Veſſels are forbid taking them on board.

WHEREAS Mrs. [illegible] hath left her Huſband's Bed and Board without any juſt Cauſe, and carried off and taken all her Huſband's Effects; This is therefore to give Notice to all Perſons, That I will not pay any Debts contracted by the ſaid Mrs. [illegible] after this Date, as ſhe has left me of her own accord, and without any juſt Cauſe; and all Perſons are forbid to harbour or truſt her on my Account, as I am reſolved to pay no Debts of her contracting after this Date. And all Perſons that have any Demands againſt the Eſtate of Mr. [illegible] are deſired to bring in their Accounts to the Subſcribers by the firſt Day of [illegible] next, or they may be aſſured of being debarr'd of their Demands, according to Law, which will be very diſagreeable to me, and expenſive to themſelves.

THOMAS GREENWAY.

*Alexandria, November 16, 1763.*

NOW in the Jail of this County, a likely young Negro Fellow, who ſays he belongs to one *Edward Dyer*, near *Piſcataway*. His Maſter is deſired to take him out and pay the Charges, otherwiſe he will be ſent to the Public Jail at *Williamſburg*.

WILLIAM RAMSAY, Sheriff.

*To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER At Mr. Adams's in Annapolis,*

BARBADOS *Muſcovado* SUGAR, by the Barrel or Hundred Weight, extraordinary good CLARET, by the Dozen, beſt Cheſhire CHEESE, *Caſtile* SOAP, by the Box or Pound, Check LINEN, by the Piece, and Pickled HERRINGS, by the Barrel.

JOHN [illegible]

A STOCKING MANUFACTORY.

LATELY ſet up in *Annapolis*, near the Church, where any Gentlemen or Ladies may be furniſhed with STOCKINGS of any Kind, done in the neateſt Manner, and at the moſt reaſonable Prices. Likewiſe with Patterns for Jackets or Breeches, or any Thing in that Way of Buſineſs. The Subſcribers will give Ready Money for the beſt Pieces, for THREAD, as it comes off the Reel.

JOHN BAAR,
BENJAMIN BAAR.

N. B. Any Perſons may have their own Thread or Worſted Wrought up, agreeable to Direction, at the loweſt Rates.

*Upper-Marlborough, Nov. 8, 1763.*

JUST IMPORTED In the *Peggy*, *Capt.* Craig, *from* LONDON, and to be SOLD by the Subſcribers, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Tobacco,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS. Likewiſe *Madeira* WINE, *Barbados* RUM, Loaf Sugar, Molaſſes, *Spaniſh* Myrtle Wax, and Dipt Candles, Bohea and Hyſon TEA, &c.

ALEXANDER & ANDREW SYMS.

TO BE SOLD, very Cheap, *For Ready Money, or ſhort Credit*,

A Quantity of Molaſſes, *Barbadoes* Rum, Sugar, by the Hogſhead or Barrel, *Madeira* Wine, by the Pipe, Hogſhead, or Quarter Cask, Claret Wine, by the Hogſhead, and Barrel'd Pork, by

THOMAS RICHARDSON and Co.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND called *The Plow Patches*, commonly called *Hanſon's Manor*, containing 1280 ACRES, lying on the Road leading from *Baltimore Town* to *Elk-Ridge Town*, about 14 Miles from the former. The Soil well adapted to Farming, and convenient to Merchant Mill. The whole will be ſold together or in Lots of 500 Acres, as may ſuit the Purchaſer.

For Terms apply to

ALEXANDER [illegible]

TO BE SOLD,

For Bills of Exchange, Sterling, or Current [illegible]

ABOUT Five Hundred ACRES of Land, Part of a Tract of Land (almoſt adjoining lives) called *Hard to Get and Dear paid for*, in *Anne Arundel* County, near *Elk-Ridge*, on the main Road from *Annapolis* to *Frederick-Town*.

For Title and Terms apply to

THOMAS SASSAMAN, & JOHN [illegible]

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